

REMARKS

Claim 5 has been added corresponding to a combination of the version of claims 1, 2 and 4 prior to the Amendment filed May 2, 2005, and claim 6 has been added corresponding to claim 3 except for depending on claim 5.

Entry of the above amendment is respectfully requested.

With entry of the Amendment filed May 2, 2005 and entry of the new claims presented above, Applicants submit that the cited art neither teaches nor suggests all the requirements of the presently claimed invention, and thus withdrawal of the anticipation and obviousness rejections of record is respectfully requested.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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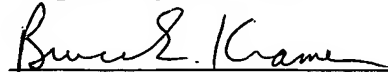
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